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## Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

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First Named Inventor: Conner, Arlie R.  
Application No.: 09/681184  
Filed: February 14, 2001  
Title: Dot-Sequential Color Display System

Group Art Unit: 2871  
Examiner: Hoan C. Nguyen

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.**

### 1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS
- iv. ☐ Other

### 2. ☐ A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently

### 3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to:  
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- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Other

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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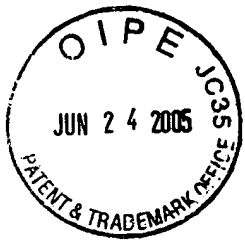
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, enclosed is a completed Form PTO-1449, citing references submitted for consideration by the Examiner. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner initial and return the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to indicate that each reference has been considered.

Copies of any cited foreign patents, foreign publications, non-patent literature documents, and any pending U.S. applications filed before June 30, 2003, are enclosed. Copies of any pending U.S. applications filed after June 30, 2003 that can be accessed on the USPTO's IFW system are not enclosed as per USPTO Waiver dated September 21, 2004. Copies of any U.S. patents and published U.S. patent applications are not enclosed.

A Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114 is being filed concurrently,  
thus it is believed that no fee is due for this Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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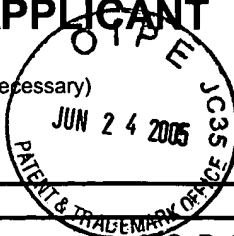
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